

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application of:	Usuka <i>et al.</i>	Confirmation No.:	3878
Serial No.:	10/015,167	Art Unit:	1631
Filed:	December 11, 2001	Examiner:	Eric S. DeJong
For:	SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR PREDICTING CHROMOSOMAL REGIONS THAT CONTROL PHENOTYPIC TRAITS	Attorney Docket No:	9080-016-999 (800935-999015)

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136(a)**

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Commissioner for Patents  
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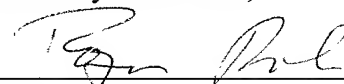
Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for filing a Notice of Appeal in response to the final Office Action dated August 6, 2008 be extended for a period of one month from November 6, 2008 to and including December 6, 2008.

The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$130.00. Please charge the required fee to Jones Day Deposit Account No. 50-3013 (order no. 800935-999015).

Respectfully submitted,

Date: December 8, 2008



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